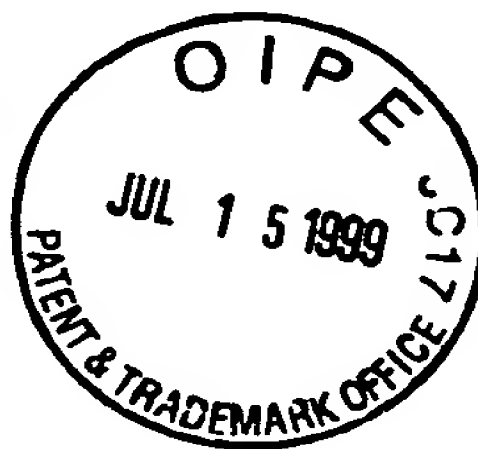


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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 15, 1999, and referring to the certified English translation filed July 20, 1998, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, lines 1-3, delete in their entirety.

Page 2, lines 15-18, delete in their entirety and substitute therefor:

--TITLE OF THE INVENTION

MAGNETO-OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING A PLURALITY OF
FERROMAGNETIC THIN LAYERS

Cross-references to Related Application:

This application claims priority to Japanese Application No. 9-117626, filed April 21, 1997 and Japanese Application No. ~~(not yet assigned)~~ ¹⁰⁻¹⁰³⁶¹² ³¹ ~~30~~, filed March 30, 1998.

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